

# Crittenden Record-Press

No. 52

Marion, Crittenden County Kentucky, Thursday Morning, July 19 1917.

Vol. XXXIX

## THE TRAV- IS RE-UNION

A Delightful Affair, Plenty of  
Good Cheer And an Excel-  
lent Spread of Dinner.

The Travis re-union was a grand success, although about 500 of the best looking Travises were absent.

People began gathering early, and by ten o'clock the large tent was filled besides the woods were full of people all around the place.

The exercises began at ten o'clock with singing, led by S. B. McNeely, followed with prayer, by John Irvin Travis, of Carisville. Rev. James F. Price, in his own artful and eloquent manner, outlined the program for the day, and announced the purpose of the meeting. There were several historic sketches of the family brought to this meeting by different members and read. Your humble servant was appointed to read publicly these reminiscences. A partial history of aunt Rachel's family, a Tribute of Respect to uncle Harvey, a history of the re-union held twenty years ago, a summarized enumeration of the oldest settlers in Crittenden county, naming the places where settled, were read. These reading were interspersed by singing congregational songs appropriate for such an occasion, also, by appropriate short talks and sermons explanatory, or complimentary to the particular occasion by our infallible chairman—Rev. Price.

There were present Travises from Crittenden, Henderson, Union, Webster, Caldwell and Livingston counties—in all, with their relations, about two hundred. Gus D. Summerville and uncle Billie Joel Hill were both there with their usual amount of good humor and friendliness for every body. Candidates galore. If all the candidates who were there are elected to office in Crittenden county we will have to build two more new court houses, three or four jails and another postoffice to accommodate them, but we know this will not be the case, and we rejoice to see them enjoy one more good day this side of Salt River. If Woodrow Wilson had been present and had seen and partaken of the dinner that was there he surely would have forgotten his entreaties to plant and feed the hungry and turned praises for a land of plenty. Dinner! I guess Dr. Frazer was there with his usual dead earnestness, but this time it turned to living earnestness, and he made a Red Cross speech that brought more than twenty joiners to this very important branch of service in our struggle for National freedom. Uncle Billie Joel Hill read some very interesting notes about the Travis family, along with other things. In the afternoon the body resolved itself into a religious assembly, and an old-fashioned testimony meeting was had, in which many took part. At 2:30 p.m., Rev. Price was to have preached, this being the regular time for the protracted service which had been in progress at that place for ten days, but a rain came and scattered the congregation, and we adjourned.

A "big time?" I should say! A Grand Re-union, but we live in a hope that we will all be permitted to participate in a grander one over yonder. Following is a constellation of Travis name and characteristics.

### SOME REMINISCENCES OF THE

TRAVIS NAME IN CRITTENDEN CO.

While the name of Travis is of English origin our knowledge of the family begins in Ireland with one Francis Travis. This same Francis had two sons, Francis and John. From these two, I am able to trace only two families.

John Travis had a son Francis, the father of Cullen Travis whose family is well known in the county today. Mary, of California; John and Grant, of Marion; and George, of this neighborhood, are the living children

of Cullen Travis.

The second Frances Travis had a son, Daniel Travis. This Daniel had a son, James, by name. This same James Travis was the husband of the noted aunt Rachel, the progenitors of a large family. The sons were John, James Harvey, Daniel and Lindsay, known in this neighborhood as "Daddy." The girls were Theresa and Susan—(maybe others.) Each of these children lived long lives, uncle Lindsay having reached the advanced age of ninety-five. Also, each had large families, probably that of uncle Harvey, my grandfather, being the largest, eighteen children in all. Today he has living twelve children, fifty-six grandchildren, eighty-five great grandchildren and some two or three great-great grandchildren—totaling 155 living persons from uncle Harvey Travis, the second son of James and Rachel. It would be interesting to be able to trace both these families all the way down from the first Frances Travis, but it would make a history too long to read at this meeting of one day. I took up uncle Harvey's family because I am familiar with the history, and because, he being my grandfather, I am naturally more interested.

There are hundreds of Travises in the county, some in the southwestern part of the county with whom I have not been able to trace any relationship. You will find the name in many different States. The Travises of Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, Arkansas and Alabama are all related in some way to to this first Frances Travis. Colonel Tom Travis of the Alamo was of the Alabama family.

All known Travises are a social, fun-loving, yet moral and religious people. Quick tempered, yet ready to forgive an injury. The name does not often occur among those of the millionaire, neither does it ever occur among those on the pauper lists. The name does not often occur among those of National leaders, neither do you find it among the names on the list of innocents. You will find the name on hundreds of church books as ministers of the Gospel, elders and laymen. Never on the criminal dockets of the courts of the country. When you find a Travis you will find a lover of music if not a good musician. You will find an unassuming neighbor, a good conversationalist, a standard bearer for religion and morals. When Gabriel blows his trumpet you will still find some Travises here, but ready to go.

Yours very truly,  
E JEFFREY TRAVIS.

### Notice To Timber And Crosstie Buyers.

I have received numerous inquiries as to the timber on the Nunn farm. The cross tie or other timber, on that part of the John Nunn farm, which I have contracted to Roy Mihkin, is for sale. The proceeds to be applied on his purchase money notes, to enable him to get deed to the place. For further particulars, price and etc., see him on the premises, or me in my office in Marion, Ky.

S. M. Jenkins.

### Notice To Lot Holders In Old Cemetery.

The committee has decided to purchase for the old Cemetery a few sheep or goats to keep the weeds and bushes down after it is cleaned up this time. Any one who has dead buried there, who objects to the above, should take steps at once to fence their lot and give said lots their personal attention in the future.

C. E. Doss Committee.

### Notice To Members Of Farm Bureau

The members of the Crittenden Co. Farm bureau are urgently requested to attend a meeting of that body in Mr. Birds office at the Court House on Saturday July 28th at 1:30 P. M.

Matters of importance demand our attention on that date and it is very necessary that each local club send its delegate.

Let us have a full attendance and thereby testify our interest in Mr. Bird and his demonstration work.

J. A. Hill sec.  
J. M. Dean Pres.

## Trustee's and Patron's Day

### Thursday, July 26.

We want 2000 patrons to attend the Teachers' Institute in Marion on Thursday, July 26th. This is our regular Trustees' Day and it will be the most interesting Day of the Institute

If You are interested in Your Teacher, Your Child, Your Self, Attend the Institute on this Day.

Yours Very Truly,  
E. Jeffrey Travis,  
Supt.

## VOTE FOR EDWARD D. STONE FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

Having served the people for two terms in the law making department of Kentucky, I feel that it absolutely equips and qualifies me for the duties of the office of County Attorney. A man who has been elected and endorsed by the people of this district to make laws by which they are to be governed, evidently is equipped and qualified to explain such laws in the courts of this Commonwealth.

I regret very much to say that I cannot make a very close canvass of the county at this time. I cannot do this for two reasons: First, because I am very busy on the farm, making and taking care of farm products; Second, because I was assured by the people generally that I would have no opposition, but on the eleventh hour a second petition for the office of County Attorney was filed in the Republican Primary.

For the past few years this county has been plunging into debt several hundred dollars annually. This indebtedness will have to be paid by the taxpayers of Crittenden County. This county should not be heavily in debt. The County Attorney should properly discharge his duty concerning the County's appropriations and expenditures.

If nominated and elected I will do as I have always endeavored to do, give my entire time in performing the duties of this office and guarding the interests of the people as their Attorney. I will be found in my office on every official day in the year, rendering justice to every person.

As legal advisor of the fiscal court I will, if nominated and elected, be cautious in advising it concerning the expenditures of the hard earned money of the taxpayers.

I will diligently investigate and procure indictments against alleged violators of the law without favor.

I respectfully solicit the support of every republican voter, and promise, if elected, a cautious and efficient handling of the County Attorney's affairs.

Yours Truly,

EDWARD D. STONE.

## THE FARMER'S FRIEND

"The people should rule," is the slogan of that popular republican, Edward D. Stone, who is a candidate for County Attorney of Crittenden County, in the Republican Primary, Saturday, August 4th, 1917.

Mr. Stone is widely known and stands high as the truest type of a gentleman in this county. He is a deserving young man and enters the race, not as a candidate of any faction, but as a true Republican, willing and ready to serve the people of the great county of Crittenden, and render to every person a square deal, if made their County Attorney.

He is recognized as one of the most logical and forceful speakers in this and adjoining counties. He has very ably led two campaigns for the legislature in this district, in which he was elected their representative. In those campaigns he placed this District in the Republican column. For four years in the law making body in this state he gave the very best service possible, serving the people beyond that of any other Representative ever sent from this district. He is now offering his services to the people of his home county.

He fulfilled every promise made by him to the people, as their Representative, and made a record of which the people of this county are proud, and if elected County Attorney he will fulfill the duties of the office.

Mr. Stone was educated in the Cumberland University, at Lebanon, Tenn., where he graduated with high honors in the class 1912, receiving the degree of LLB. He was granted license to practice law in May, 1913.—A Supporter.—Adv.

### Young Men And Women Wanted.

Four hundred and eighty-three young men, from sixteen to twenty-one years of age (not subject to conscription), and two hundred and thirty-five women are wanted to take the training necessary to qualify them for positions in banks, mercantile houses, railroad offices, etc.—positions made vacant by the first and second drafts of bookkeepers and stenographers.

YOUR MONEY BACK.

Young men who qualify at Draughon's for Shorthand work with the Government and are drafted for Government service will get back every cent of the money that they pay for tuition if they are not given office work, instead of trench work, with the Government.

We have file letters urging us to train, as fast as possible, young men and women for these positions, which pay from NINE HUNDRED TO TWELVE HUNDRED dollars a year to begin on. By the Draughon methods—the methods that business men endorse—one can learn Bookkeeping and Shorthand by mail as well as at college, and can learn by mail at one-sixth the cost of learning at college. Write to Draughon's Practical Business College, Nashville, Tenn.

### Birthday Party.

Mrs. Lucy Davidson was surprised by her children and grand children to the number of 41 last Saturday when they celebrated her 73rd, birthday with a family reunion at the old home place.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Taylor live there with Mrs. Davidson but she had been on a visit to her son near Lola and arrived at home that day to find them all there awaiting her coming.

Her six children living are, 3 sons

Grant of Marion, Buckner of Lola, and Wallace of Crittenden Springs, and 3 daughters, Mrs. Henrietta Taylor who lives on the old home place, Mrs. Ida Stevens of Levias, and Mrs. Sarah Davidson of Henderson and they were all present with their consorts and children with only a few exceptions.

Each family brought a basket well filled and as a result there was a bountiful spread of all the good things the land affords and many gifts for mother. Her heart was made glad and every one present enjoyed the day to the fullest extent and hope she will live to enjoy many more birthdays.

## ASKS SUPPORT OF VOTERS

R. H. Thomas Candidate For Sheriff Appeals To The Republicans In Primary.

After being solicited by a number of friends to enter the race for sheriff of Crittenden County. I decided to do so, and am making every honorable effort I can to secure the nomination, and if nominated and elected promise a faithful, and impartial discharge of the duties of the office, and to do all in my power to enforce the law put down crime and improve the religious and moral interest of the people, and a square deal in every way, and if the republicans of Crittenden County think me a man of stability and firmness, and worthy of your support I will greatly appreciate your help. I say to the republicans of Crittenden County go to the primary on Aug 4, and vote for the man for each office you think suited for the place, and I will cheerfully submit to your decision, and will ever remember you with gratitude for what you have done for me in the past, whether I am nominated or not, and will support my party's nominees and lend all my influence to win success for them in November.

Yours truly,  
R. H. Thomas.

A dark and threatening cloud came up suddenly saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock accompanied by a downpour of rain. There was a big crowd of shoppers here, many of the stores being crowded and when it became suddenly nearly dark it put business at a stand still.

The Marion Electric Light & Ice Co., phones were besieged in less time than it takes to tell it but the management realizing the situation, had already ordered the lights turned on, as quickly as possible, which was done at 3:50 o'clock when the sun was almost 3 hours high. The rain continued at intervals through out the afternoon and night and also Sunday forenoon, thus making the corn crop in the hills of old Crittenden a certainty.

### Card Of Thanks

We desire through the columns of the Record Press to thank the faithful people of Sisco's Chapel and adjoining neighborhood for their kindness shown us during the sudden sickness and death of our dear mother and grandmother Mrs Docia James we feel grateful to each of you for such willing hearts may God's richest blessings rest upon you all is our prayer.

Children and Grandchildren.

## CREAM

I will be at the same place receiving cream on the following dates  
Tues morning.  
Thurs morning  
And Saturday.  
C. E. James

## PROGRAMME

### Crittenden County S. S. Convention.

To be Held at

Eben Church, Crittenden County, near Piney P. O. and Fish trap Ferry

Saturday, July 21, 1917.

- 9:30 Devotional service--Theme, "Worship Through Service" Delmer Babb.  
 9:50 Minutes of last Convention and Reports of Schools County Secretary.  
 10:10 Making the Sunday School efficient through Cradle Roll Home Department and organized classes James F. Price.  
 Through Teachers Training Fred Stone.  
 Through Temperance Instruction J. W. Blue.  
 Through Workers Conference H. N. Lamb.  
 Through co-operation in Association Work C. S. Nunn.  
 11:10 Appointments of Committees and Announcements.  
 11:20 Making an efficient County Association State Representative.

NOON

- 1:20 Devotional Service--Theme, "Worship Through Study" W. J. Hill.

- 1:40 Problem Hour conducted by State Worker.  
 2:15 Getting Results in Sunday School Work Rev. Bumpas  
 2:35 Report of Nominating Committee. Other Business.  
 2:50 Greater and Better Sunday Schools for a Greater and Better Kentucky State Worker.

- 3:30 Installation of Officers and Closing Exercise.

Ministers, Officers, Teachers, Pupils and Friends are all invited. Come with singing classes and reports from Sunday Schools with offering. All singing classes will be given place on program. Please bring baskets well filled and make it a great day for Sunday School work. E. F. Dean, County Pres.

Miss Willie Pickens, Co. Secy.

## L. F. WATERS

Veterinarian

Office at Sisco's Livery Stable

Phone 239

Prepare now and immunize your herd against black-leg and hemorrhagic septicemia in cattle; White Scours in calves; Navel ills in colts; Cholera in hogs; Also see me about White diarrhea in young chicks; Bowel ailments and blackhead in turkeys

### How to Know, Prevent and Cure Quickly

## DEATHS

After a long illness, Mrs. Nancie Caroline Belt fell asleep at the home of her son, Jerry Belt, near Hebron Monday morning, July 9, 1917, at 9:30 at the age of 84 years. During her long and painful illness she was ever patient yet looked forward with eager expectancy to the time when the summons should come to call her to that home, eternal in the Heavens.

She was born March 17, 1833 and was married to Lafayette Belt in 1857. She professed faith in Christ in 1856 and united with the Baptist Church at Pleasant Grove. She later moved her membership to the Methodist Church at Hebron where she remained a member until her death.

Grandma Belt as she was familiarly known by those who knew her best was a noble woman of pure Christian character who always found pleasure in doing service for others. She was a kind and loving mother and a friend always to those in need. The world is made better by having such good and noble lives spent as hers was spent. Death for her had no horrors. Death was for her but a call to step into the joys of that land of eternal sunshine and love where we expected.

## Summer Tourists Rates.

are now in Effect via Illinois Central R R

to points on the

### GREAT LAKES

and other resorts in the East, West and North including such points as Denver, Colorado Springs, Yellowstone Park, Seattle, San Francisco, Lake Chautauqua, Washington, New York, Boston and Norfolk. For detail information including rates, routes, etc., address

F. W. Harlow, Div. Passgr. Agt.  
 Illinois Central Railroad.  
 Louisville, Ky.

## "DEAD" 37 YEARS MAN COMES BACK

Civil War Veterans Make Merry Over Their Recovered Comrade O'Donnell.

## JOY AMONG HIS KIN

Had Not Been Seen or Heard of by Friends Since 1880—Officially Dead on Books of G. A. R. Post.

New York.—Joseph J. O'Donnell, "dead" these 37 years, came to life one night recently. His friends had not seen or heard from him since 1880, and it was officially recorded on the books of the Lafayette post, G. A. R., that he had heard the final taps.

So there was joy in the home of his sister, Mrs. George Bolster, No. 325 Dell place, Ridgewood, Queens, last night, when O'Donnell's companions in arms—veterans of the One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Infantry of New York—held a reception for the one that had been lost and was found.

In 1864 O'Donnell, then sixteen, enlisted, and served with his regiment until it was mustered out September 1, 1865. A year later he joined the Eighth cavalry, and served five years. Then he went west and worked as a cowboy.

### Drops Out of Sight.

His letters reached his relatives here and were answered until 1880, when they began to come back. Mrs. Bolster recently asked the war department to inform her where her brother had been buried. The answer was that he was alive and in the Soldiers' home at Leavenworth, Kan. She wrote to him and he arrived last week.

Another sister, Mrs. Mary Jane Healy, lives at No. 833 Fresh Pond road, Ridgewood, and a brother, James O'Donnell, at No. 165 East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, New York.

Past Commander Kieran of the Lafayette post and President A. G. Mills



Went West and Worked as a Cowboy.

of the regimental association sent out word to all the "boys" to be on hand. And what a flow of reminiscences there was! Time had purged from the memory all recollection of the hardships, and left only the glorious deeds of those who fought for the Union.

### MAN'S ARMS LIFE-SAVING NET

Father Catches Eight Children as They Leap From Window of Burning Home.

Phillipsburg, N. J.—When John McNicholas, a night worker, returned to his home and found the lower floor burning, he ran through the flames and smoke to the bedrooms on the second floor and aroused his eight motherless children.

Lining the children up before a window, McNicholas first jumped out to the lawn and then each of the children jumped into his arms. He thus saved them all without injury.

The fire, which destroyed the McNicholas home, spread to two others, and did extensive damage. McNicholas owned his home, and its destruction will be a severe loss to him and his large family.

### KICK SPOILS MARE'S SALE

Active Heels Play Havoc With Big Ding Ring at Auction Sale in Pennsylvania.

Wrightstown, Pa.—It was scandalous the way Jennie, the old family mare, resented being auctioned off at the sale of the late Isaac Percy's effects recently. Farmers, who intending bidding, formed a ring in the barnyard, but Jennie kicked them into the next yard in a jiffy and sent John Kirkpatrick of Newtown banging against a stone wall.

"That mare's worth \$50, on condition alone," called Auctioneer Cornell, safely outside the wall, "but I'm obliged to knock her down to the only one of you scared bidders for his paltry \$7.50."

## BREAKS PRISON; STEALS TO WED

Weird Tale of the Exploits of a Former Inmate of Sing Sing.

## MAKES GOOD HUSBAND

Enlists in Navy, Deserts When Work Palls on Him—Is Recaptured and Serves One Day of Sentence When He Again Escapes.

New York.—A weird tale of escape from Sing Sing, successful burglary, marriage to a good woman who did not know his past, and final downfall, was revealed here after the capture of Elmer Schultz, who took French leave of the big penitentiary up the river on September 11 last.

Incidentally, the story proves a veteran convict can be a model husband.

Detective Fisher seized Schultz in a pawnshop here and said:

"Come on down to headquarters. The boss wants to visit with you."

"Now, ain't that too bad?" observed Schultz. "And me only married last month." "This'll be a knockout for the madam."

He went quietly to headquarters. There he said he "night as well tell all about it."

"The getaway job was easy," he said. "I hid in the condenser room, started the siren whistle with rags, shinned over the wall when I saw the way was clear, and dropped into the river. I swam three-quarters of a mile to a safe landing place and then hit the rails south."

### Gets Spare Change.

"I'd walked twenty-two miles to Hastings, when I bumped into a copper. 'Hey, where you going, all wet like that?' he says to me. 'Oh, my boat tipped over, and I'm going home.' I say, and he goes on about his business."

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

"Being broke, I enlisted in the navy under the name of J. Ford, but I didn't stay long. The work didn't just suit me, and I beat it at the end of two weeks. They got after me hot foot for

"Knowing I'd need some spare change, I went into a house and took \$500 and some diamonds and other jewelry. I blew in the money in New York and then sold the junk. It didn't take long to go broke again."

## Hughes Chill Tonic

Palatable Better than Calomel and Quinine Contains no arsenic

The Old Reliable

### Excellent General Tonic

As well as a remedy for chills and fevers, malarial fevers, swamp fevers and bilious fevers. Just what you need at this season.

Mild Laxative, Nervous Sedative, Splendid Tonic

Try it. Don't take any substitute

Druggists 50c and \$1.00 a bottle

Prepared by

Robinson-Pettet Company, Inc.

Louisville, Ky.

Keep Her in Illinois Please.

For some time there has been a story going the rounds that a lion which is supposed to have escaped from a circus was in the bottoms near Big Lake.

Col. Bobo, Millpaugh, who owns land near the lake, while looking after farming interests there Monday, claims to have seen the lion. It was within thirty yards of him. The animal, Mr. Millpaugh says, stopped about a minute and looked at him and then started on up the road.

John Dempsey, a farmer living near Round Pond, also claims to have seen the lion a few days ago. For some time pigs and other small animals have been missed by farmers in that neighborhood, and it is supposed that the lion has been killing them. It is said to be a full-grown female lion.—Shawnee-on-the-Neck News Gleaner.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's TASTLESS CHILL TONIC

is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON.

It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and builds up the Whole System.

50 cents a bottle.

Calvert City Times

has a certain policy regarding Free advertising for many years,

but since the prices of paper have gone up and all other ex-

penses connected with our office we have made up our mind that no free advertising goes in these columns.

We are to be the judge of our editorials and of the news items.

All other items are supposed to benefit other individuals, and for these we charge.

Our mail is crowded every day with letters from automobile companies, the government and colleges, and other places, saying "Enclosed you will find a good news item."

And all these are promptly placed in our waste basket.—Calvert

City Times.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTLESS CHILL TONIC drives out Malaria, enriches the blood and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

Germans Are Urged To Go Barefooted.

Washington, July 18.—The

State Department has received a cablegram announcing that the

City Council of Zittau, Germany,

is urging the entire population

to go barefooted in order to harden their feet to be prepared for

## HOLDS CHARM FOR RED-BLOODED MEN

Navy, With Its High Ideals and Splendid Record, Justifies Nation's Pride.

### MEN NEEDED FOR SERVICE

**Uncle Sam Pays All Expenses and Monthly Wage Is All Velvet—“There Is Always Room at the Top,” True of Navy.**

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Sailors of the American navy, many of them young men who only a year ago were on the farm, at the bench, at the counter, or in school, today are in Uncle Sam's destroyers sailing the waters of the northern seas, where they are engaged in the heroic duty of upholding the world principle of freedom for all peoples.

The American people always have shown a kindly disposition toward the man-of-war and the man-of-war's man. There has been an appeal about the sea which has drawn and held the interest of landsmen who never smell salt water. Americans always have taken a pride in their navy.

Today Uncle Sam needs men for his navy and he wishes to get them from the ranks of those who are charged with the volunteer spirit of service. Our great fleet is mobilized "some-where on the coast" for possible deadly service with the great fleet of the enemy. Today for the navy has allowed the fact to become known, many of our smaller craft, the bulldog destroyers of the navy, are hunting the submarine sharks in the waters off Dean's L. close to the coast of Ireland and farther north, where even in summer the elements at times are almost as fierce as "man, the enemy."

#### Pay Is Doubled.

Recently the congress of the United States increased the pay of the sailor men so materially that the recruits' pay is double what it was.

In the navy the young men of the country, both in times of peace and in times of war, secure liberal educations. Their opportunities for travel and for sight-seeing are greater than those of men employed in almost any other calling in life. Moreover, the boys just entering manhood who enlist in the navy are given opportunities for instruction which, if they have the ambition and the mental qualifications, will enable them to enter the naval academy at Annapolis on the same terms as midshipmen who are nominated by members of congress, and at that institution to secure an education which fits them for the commissioned rank which the government of the United States will confer upon them.

There are traditions in the American navy which keep high the spirit of endeavor in every man who walks the deck under the colors, from the admiral to the apprentice seaman. The boy learns all about John Paul Jones, and his deeds on the sea for his country; all about Decatur, Bainbridge, Hull, Porter, Farragut and Dewey. As the secretary of the navy has said, in what is really an appeal to the youth of the country to enlist under the navy's colors, the standard is high.

#### Service of High Ideals.

"The navy has been throughout its entire existence a service of high ideals; and its unbroken record of great and worthy achievement, of duty well done, has been due to the high standard set for officers and men in the beginning and which has been maintained ever since. This standard was never higher than it is today; and any young American who thinks of going into the navy may feel sure that, on enlisting, he will enter a service in which he may, and should, always feel a justifiable pride and of which the uniform is a badge of honor."

Young men between the ages of seventeen and twenty-five, who are not skilled in any naval trade, are enlisted as apprentice seamen. Immediately upon being sworn in at the recruiting stations they are sent at government expense to a naval training station. The apprentice seaman, because he is a green man and simply undergoing training has been paid in the past \$17.00 a month. From this time on, however, under the recent act of congress his pay throughout the war and until six months after its ending is to be \$32.00 a month.

Now it must be remembered that the sailor, whether he be a recruit or a seasoned man-of-war's man, is under no expense at all for his livelihood after he once joins the navy. He is given clothing, food, shelter and medical attendance. Out of his pay all that he spends is such money as he desires to pay out for such luxuries and entertainments as he seems inclined to indulge in.

#### Increase Soon Comes.

It must not be supposed that an apprentice seaman continues long to draw simply the amount of his first pay. His first raise comes in the seaman branch, and if he is in the fireroom he gets an additional sum.

The navy needs men who are trained or partly trained in the various trades. Men who are proficient along certain lines and who come within certain limits of age are enlisted for specific purposes in the navy. They are given pay in accordance with standards set for the different lines of endeavor which they must follow. Full informa-

tion concerning enlistments of this kind can be had at any recruiting office. The navy today is a world in itself. It needs men proficient in nearly all lines of human working endeavor.

#### Rate of Pay in Navy.

The law increasing the pay of the men in the navy has just been enacted and the pay tables under the new dispensation have not yet been made out, but it is a simple thing to determine the rate of pay of each seaman of whatever class by adding to the pay given in the accompanying table the amount of increase in each case. The increased pay allotment has just gone into effect. Below is given the pay wage table, with the pay as it stood prior to the recent act of congress. In order to know what each man's pay now is, it is only necessary to know that every man now drawing less than \$21 a month will receive an increase of \$15 a month; that every man drawing at present from \$22 to \$24 a month, inclusive, will receive \$12 a month additional; that every man drawing more than \$24 and less than \$45, will receive \$8 a month additional, and that every man drawing at present \$45 or more a month will receive \$6 a month additional pay.

It should be borne in mind that the apprentice seaman, the ordinary boy recruit, who ordinarily gets \$17.00 a month, will be receiving at the time that this is read \$15 additional, making his pay \$32.00.

Here is the pay table as it stands today regardless of the increases which congress has ordained:

#### Chief Petty Officers.

Monthly Pay

Chief masters at arms.....	\$31.50
Chief boatswains' mates.....	25.00
Chief gunners' mates.....	25.00
Chief torpede captain.....	24.00
Chief quartermasters.....	25.00
Chief machinists' mates.....	27.00
Chief electricians.....	26.00
Chief carpenters' mates.....	25.00
Chief water tenders.....	25.00
Chief printers.....	25.00
Chief storekeepers.....	25.00
Chief yeomen.....	25.00
Chief pharmacists' mates.....	26.00
Bandmasters.....	27.20

All chief petty officers with a permanent appointment receive \$77 a month and allowances.

#### Petty Officers, First Class.

Masters at arms, first class.....\$44.00  
Boatswains' mates, first class.....43.00  
Gunners' mates, first class.....43.00

Turret captains, first class.....43.00  
Quartermasters, first class.....41.00

Machinists' mates, first class.....63.50

Carpenters' mates, first class.....63.50

Electricians, first class.....55.00

Joiners and Fitters.....55.00

Sailmakers' mates, first class.....44.00

Carpenters' mates, first class.....44.00

Painters, first class.....44.00

Stokers, first class.....44.00

Yeomen, first class.....44.00

First musicians.....44.00

Pharmacists' mates, first class.....44.00

Others.....46.70

Carpenters' mates, second class.....38.50

Painters, second class.....38.50

Stokers, second class.....38.50

Yeomen, second class.....38.50

Pharmacists' mates, second class.....38.50

#### Petty Officers, Third Class.

Masters at arms, third class.....\$33.00

Coxswains' mates, third class.....33.00

Gunners' mates, third class.....33.00

Quartermasters, third class.....33.00

Electricians, 3d class.....33.00

Painters, third class.....33.00

Stokers, third class.....33.00

Yeomen, third class.....33.00

Pharmacists' mates, third class.....33.00

#### Rating With Seamen.

Seamen gunners.....\$28.60

Seamen.....28.40

Firemen, first class.....38.50

Musicians, first class.....33.20

Hospital apprentices, first class.....26.40

#### Rating With Seamen, Second Class.

Seamen, second class.....\$30.00

Firemen, second class.....32.50

Wardroom stewards.....27.50

Musicians, second class.....33.00

Buzzers.....32.00

Hospital apprentices, second class.....29.00

#### Rating With Seamen, Third Class.

Apprentice seamen.....\$17.00

Firemen, third class.....24.50

Landsmen.....17.00

#### Commissary Branch.

Chief commissary stewards.....\$77.00

Commissary stewards.....66.00

Ship's cooks, first class.....60.50

Ship's cooks, second class.....41.00

Ship's cooks, fourth class.....27.50

Bakers, first class.....38.50

Bakers, second class.....33.00

Stewards to commander in chief.....66.00

Stewards to commanders.....66.00

Cooks to commanders.....55.00

Cabin stewards.....55.00

Cooking steward.....49.50

Wardroom stewards.....55.00

Steerage stewards.....49.50

Steerage cooks.....33.00

Warrant officers' stewards.....38.50

Warrant officers' cooks.....33.00

Mess attendants, first class.....33.00

Mess attendants, second class.....27.50

Mess attendants, third class.....22.00

#### \*If Americans citizens.

The United States today is at war.

The government officials are looking to the young men of the country to come to the help of that democracy which means liberty. There are rear admirals and captains in the United States navy today who rose to their high rank of command from the position of naval apprentice. Rear Admiral William H. H. Sutherland once was a naval apprentice. Capt. John E. R. Roller was a naval apprentice. "There is always room at the top" is a saying that is credited originally to the sea service. Uncle Sam needs recruits to help sustain the honor of his flag. The sea and its service have a holding charm for men of red blood.

## CROOKED CREEK

(Delayed from last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Fritts entertain at the Crooked Creek Sunday school Saturday evening from 7:30 to 10:30 o'clock. All of the school being present except a few of the smaller children. A colorful contest of historical events was given the school. D. H. Postlewait being the prize winner. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The entire school enjoyed themselves immensely and hope their superintendent and his wife will entertain them again real soon.

Ruth Johnson and family were guests of George Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corley and little son, Gleeford Lemon, visited her father, Mr. Metz near Mattoon, Saturday.

Miss Gladys Franks, of Tolu, spent several days the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Anthony Murphy.

Robert and Elzie Thurman were guests of their grand mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hughes, and attended Children's day at Mt. Zion Sunday.

## A MOTHER'S GRATITUDE

Many a Mother in Marion will appreciate the following:

Many a strong man and many a healthy woman has much for which to thank mother. The care taken during their childhood brought them past the danger point and made them healthy men and women. Thousands of children are bothered with incontinence of urine, and inability to retain it is often called a habit. It is not always the children's fault—in many cases the difficulty lies with the kidneys, and can be readily righted. A Marion mother tells me how she went about it.

Mrs. G. W. Patterson, Elm & Gum streets, Marion, says: "A member of my family was troubled with a weak condition of the kidneys. This caused considerable distress when suffering with colds, as the kidney secretions come too frequent in passage at these times. I had often heard of Dean's Kidney Pills and got a box at Haynes & Taylor's Drug Store. One Dr. Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Dean's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Patterson recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.

75

## DEANWOOD

(Delayed from last week.)

The Newman and Taylor debate at Sugar Grove was well attended,

Mrs. Minnie Chandler and daughter, of Marion, were the guests of T. M. Dean and family several days recently.

David Lowery and family, of the Crier section, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Olivia Walker.

Mrs. James L. Walker is visiting her father's family this week.

Henry Butler and family were guests of relatives near Marion several days last week.

A number from here attended the revival at the tent at Copperas Springs Sunday evening.

Miss Reva Dean entertained the people of all ages the evening of the 4th. The lawn and porch were beautifully decorated with flowers, ferns and festoons of crepe paper in national colors. Games were played and national songs were sung and everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

## Bad Stomachs---The Penalty

Somach sufferers should take warning. Gall stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the stomach and Intestines, Auto Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Appendicitis, and other dangerous ailments, are some of the penalties. Most Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Troubles are quickly overcome with May's Wonderful Remedy. This favorite prescription has restored millions of people. Let one dose of May's Wonderful Remedy prove today that it will help you. For sale by Haynes & Taylor, Marion, Ky.

</div

## CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS

Marion, Ky., July 19, 1917.

S. M. JENKINS,  
Editor and Publisher

Entered as second-class matter February 9th 1878 at the post office at Marion, Kentucky, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1873.

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES

\$1.50 per year cash in advance.

### Advertising Rates.

50c per inch S. C. Foreign Advertising  
25 per inch S. C. Home Advertising  
Repeated ads one-half rate.

Metal bases for Plates and Electrodes  
Locals or Readers

5cts per line in this size type.

10cts per line in this size type

15cts. a line this size type.

Obituaries 5c per line | Cash  
Cards of Thanks 5c per line | Wits  
Resolutions of respect 5c aline | Copy

It may be proved with much certainty that God intends no man to live in this world without working; but it seems no less evident that He intends every man to be happy in his work. It was written: "In the sweat of thy brow," but it was never written: "In the breaking of thy heart." —Ruskin.

### SALEM

A fine prospect for corn.

Miss Joy LaRue was painfully burned last week while bravely fighting the H. C. C. L., while canning peas. The container exploded in her face, badly scalding her face, eyes and ears. She is getting along nicely, and her friends are hopeful of no permanent injury.

Mrs. Martha Purcell and children, of Paducah, are visiting her parents and friends here this week.

Mrs. Sallie Deboe, of Marion, is visiting her children here and at Pickett, Kentucky.

The large crowds attending the shows last week here verifies Barnum's saying,—"The American people love to be humbugged."

Ewing Binkley and family, of Clarksville, Tenn., are visiting relatives here. Ewing left here twenty-seven years ago a poor boy, to make his way in the world and his friends are congratulating him on his abundant success.

Dr. John L. Hayden and wife went to Paducah last week. The doctor took the examination as army surgeon. Dr. Waddell expects to take the same examination soon.

Miss Mae Strue, of Smithland, is the guest of W. H. Rappolee and family.

James Pierce and family, of Elizabethtown, Ky., are visiting his parents and friends here.

Mrs. Helen Pyle and children, of Paducah, are visiting her parents, Robert Boyd and wife, this week.

Duke Farris and family, of Bowling Green, are visiting his parents, J. A. Farris and wife.

Alex Lockhart fell from a load of hay last week and broke his arm.

### FRANCES

Ed Teer and Miss Gussie Faitley went to Marion last Saturday and were united in marriage.

Press Hill, wife and baby, of near Marion, were the guests of Shelly Matthews and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Charlene Hard visited Miss Pearl Simpkins Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Osie Matthews, who has been visiting her sister near Repton, returned home last week.

Miss Charlene Hard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Tinnie Owens.

Mrs. Ethel Ralston, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting relatives and friends in this section.

Mrs. Carroll Millikan, who has been sick for some time, is reported better.

Fred Meridith and Mrs. Maxfield were married last week at Marion.

The protracted meeting is in progress at Caldwell Springs.

### MIDWAY

Miss Vera Hill, visited her grandparents last week.

Jackie Green is visiting his little sister, at his uncle Hugh Carter's this week.

Prayer meeting is still going on at this place. Bro. Trotter preached for us Thursday night and had a good meeting. There were three mourners three professions. Bro. Trotter will also preach again for us next Thursday night. Everybody invited to come.

Several from here attended the Trav-

is re-united.

Kirby Paris spent Saturday night at the home of Charley Hughes.

## GIRLS HELP IN DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Innocently Assist Woman to Hurl Baby and Self to Death.

### CHARMED BY CHILD

Mother, Who Had Been Ill, Enlists Aid of Youthful Bridge Promenaders to Leap Ninety Feet to Ground.

New York.—Sadie Winkler and Sylvia Klein, wise beyond their years in the sophistication of the East side and as insure to thrills as only the movies can blunt the sensibilities of girls of fifteen and fourteen, respectively, sauntered arm in arm across the Williamsburg bridge yesterday. It was five o'clock of a sunny afternoon in spring, a time when the bridge forms a promenade for the fashionables of the East end of the East side and the West end of Williamsburg.

That was one reason why Sadie and Sylvia were strolling on the bridge. They found the throng eminently satisfactory and had a pleasant consciousness that their own bright ribbons and nodding plumes were not lost in it.

Attracted by Baby.

As they approached the Brooklyn anchorage, where the six-foot guard rail gives way to a granite structure only three feet high, the two girls paused as even movie patrons will at the sight of a toddling, chuckling, friendly baby. The child was not much more than a year old and was dressed in immaculate white from dark curls to uncertain feet. Lurching precariously, it clutched with confidence in Sadie's hand.

"He's a boy," said a woman in a sleek brown suit, of which even Sadie approved, as she noticed Sadie halt at the command of the small fingers. "Will you hold him for me a minute? My bag dropped over the railing."

Instantly the odd feeling that had obscured Sadie's ordinarily clear vision at touch of those fingers vanished. She looked over the head of the baby and into the eyes of the woman, and her cool stare had a glint of suspicion in it.

"What do you take us for?" she demanded. "Easy marks, that we should be left with a baby on our hands?" She was wise in movie lore.

"Aw, take the kid," pleaded Sylvia.

"She's all right. Sure, we'll take him,



Sadie and Sylvia Stood Transfixed.

ma'am," and Sylvia snatched up the baby, who gurgled with delight at his new situation.

Jumps to Death.

The woman promptly climbed over the low granite railing. She picked up a handbag and then extended her arms for the child.

"I'll hold him till you get back," said Sylvia.

"Give him to me now!" demanded the woman, and Sylvia did so.

The woman kissed the smiling little face, hugged the white bundle and with a swift movement of her arms flung it upward and outward.

Sadie and Sylvia stood transfixed. Before they could move or utter a sound the woman had leaped after her child.

Without knowing how they got through the throng that pressed upon them with questions, Sadie and Sylvia found themselves stammering inadequate words to a policeman at the Manhattan end of the bridge.

Ninety feet below the bridge the woman and baby lay dead in South Sixth street. She was Mrs. Sophie Levitt, whose husband, Charles, has a tobacco shop at 407 Cornelia street, Ridgewood.

For several weeks she had been under medical treatment for a nervous trouble. When she left the house yesterday, after dressing her only child, Charles, in his best, she told her husband they were going to the doctor's.

Found big Snake in Partridge.

Milwaukee.—A snake 17 inches long was found by F. J. Defnet in a partridge which he had shot. The snake had been killed by the partridge's bill.

Several from here attended the Trav-

is re-united.

Kirby Paris spent Saturday night at the home of Charley Hughes.



Don't kill the calf. Let him graze and grow.

Every Liberty bond sold helps to shorten the war.

An optimist does not believe in signs unless they portend good.

Twill take some strong men to keep Russians from making a mess of liberty.

That loud and resonant call is effectively demanding the answer to the submarine menace.

Don't hoard money and don't spend it before you make it. Keep in the middle of the road.

The day is not a failure to the person who manages to keep sweet during his waking hours.

When America invented the submarine did it start something it could not finish? Probably not.

War's volcano is but smoldering; the calm is misleading and we must be prepared for an eruption.

Meteorological convulsions indicate that the elements themselves do not intend to keep out of the war.

The trouble is that the country cannot afford to wear wheat necklaces and the diamonds won't digest.

Just about now a little information as to how those "shacker" marriages are coming out would be interesting.

Even if you only raise enough in your back yard to feed yourself you'll be doing something to help the country.

Preachers who praise the Lord for their high salaries put their low-salaried brothers in an embarrassing position.

Berlin is reported to be feeling the potato pinch. Berlin has nothing on us. We have been feeling it for nine months.

While it would not entirely adjust the white paper shortage, a cessation of war poem productions would go a long way.

America has so many national anthems that the strain is rather hard on the feet of a conscientious, upstanding patriot.

With his own country at war, a man who is "neutral" naturally is under suspicion of being either an imbecile or a traitor.

Uncle Sam draws 7,000,000,000 out of his sock with no more fuss than we would make in digging down for a laundry bill.

The prospect of getting a safe and sane Fourth out of the war will also have a tendency to stimulate us to greater efforts.

Some idea of the reverberating power of war's alarms may be gathered from the fact that deaf youths are rushing to enlist.

No one who has tried to climb a mountain is likely to speak slightly of what the Italians have been accomplishing in the war.

In the race for the road crossing many an auto driver has won against the locomotive engineer. But some have run dead heats.

Emperor William's railway lines are nearly worn out, and no wonder, with all the tearing back and forth from one frontier to another!

While nothing is absolutely certain, the man who thinks he has been superabundantly endowed with common sense is apt to be mistaken.

A Boston newspaper says a banquet is certainly a poor talking proposition. Then there is no excuse for it. It never was an eating proposition.

"A rooster has nothing to crow about," says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. If that is true then a peacock has no business spreading his tail.

Even the children must make their sacrifices at times. Some of the favorite vacant lots where ball games flourished a year ago are now gardens.

Mrs. Nellie Bennett, of Dyersburg, visited her sister, Mrs. Della McKinney, here Friday.

Mrs. Prudie Brasher and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt McKinney, this week.

Misses Iva, Ina, and Effi Campbell were guests of their sister, Mrs. Essie McKinney, near Hebron last week.

Martin Ashbridge, of near Elm Grove, was in this section Saturday.

Miss Ilie Burklow, of near Frances, spent last week with relatives here.

**Deafness Cannot Be Cured**

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one sure diagnosis, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running nose, and often a headache, when it is entirely closed. Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, there will be no cure.

Deafness is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give \$1000 Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by earache that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Gold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### VALUE OF HIGH AIM.

"We achieve nothing in life," says a recent writer, "that is higher than the goal to which we aspire." There are some persons probably who will not agree to this view, but that is only because they do not understand how necessary it is to aspire to the best in life.

The man who keeps his mind upon the ordinary phases of existence, who thinks more of its material aspects than of its moral, will never attain the highest type of citizenship,

says Charleston News and Courier.

True, he may amass a fortune which in the opinion of some men is the highest pinnacle of life to be sealed, but the man who does not appreciate the

fact that there are better things to be achieved than fame and position will never become a benefactor, in its truest sense, of mankind.

We need money to build institutions for the benefit of the poor, money to provide

for educational purposes, money to advance the physical welfare of the world, money, indeed, to supply innumerable needs of humanity but, at the same time, unless these needs are

understood intelligently it is impossible to meet them effectively even with unlimited means at hand. Surely the message of humanity is one that should find a ready response in our hearts and one, also, that should prompt in our hearts the desire to aim high in all our dealings with our fellow men.

Business men, writing to the superintendent of the public schools as to the qualifications they expect in graduates of the high school, for the most part testify that they expect such graduates to be able to spell correctly, to write legibly and to have a knowledge of the common branches.

The head of one concern expressed a preference for "boys and girls who have faith in themselves" who, "like to work just as they like to play and for about the same reason—the game of it," who "are able to think quickly and honestly." That is well said, but it differs from the other expressions only in expecting something more, says Columbus Dispatch.

Any graduate who could be so described would be sure to know how to spell correctly, to write legibly and to know the common branches.

But he would have something more than knowledge; he would have spirit.

He would be more than a locomotive; he would be a locomotive with steam up, ready and eager to move.

It is boys and girls of that description that every employer would like to have; and the schools, of course, can turn them out.

Their success will be proportioned to their success in making the study and training, not a thing apart from, but a portion of life.

Captain Amundsen and his explorers have decided to eat Coonchella dates at the South pole. If they succeed in reaching that spot on their next expedition, of course they will order them from Indo before starting, says Los Angeles Times.

Well, they couldn't eat a better date anywhere, not even if they should go to Palestine.

Berlin is compelling all Germans to turn in their foreign bonds and securities to the government.

# PERSONALS

Shoes and slipper sale newest styles at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

Miss Dolly Enoch of the Iron Bridge section was here shopping last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sullivan returned Wednesday of last week from a visit to relatives in Sikes-

County, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce A. M. DAVIS

Marvin Horning of Harrisburg who was seriously hurt in a run a way accident last week is recuperating rapidly.

Silk sale Taffetas at 99 cts., Blue and Black 35 inches wide 10 days only at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

Mrs. Ella E. Moore of Louisville arrived last week to visit her brother R. T. Colston at the Park Wilsonia.

Miss Lilly Pelle Dunn returned Friday from a visit of a month to relatives and friends in Christian and Trigg Counties.

Mrs. Frances Moore of Sheridan vicinity, a great aunt of Mrs. Florence Yandell, has been her guest for the past several days.

Mrs. Daisy Raley of Harrisburg, Ill., arrived last week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Copher.

Nice silk hose on sale, corsets ribbons a clearance sale at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

Sylvan S. Price of Tulsa Oklahoma was here a few days last week the guest of his parents Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Price.

Miss Mary E. Davis of Poseyville, Ind., gave last week a \$5,000 farm to the new Methodist College at Evansville.

**FOR JAILER** of are authorized to announce WILL B. JAMES the co-mate for Jailer of Crittenden Pe-

Ed Olive and family spent last week here the guests of relatives They reside in Eastern Kentucky now where he has a position as traveling salesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cannan of Marion, Ky., purchased the Rosicare Hotel from Henry Lane this week and will take charge at once.—Rosicare Sentinel.

Mrs. L. L. Hughes will leave today for the west to visit her daughter, Ada who is now Mrs. C. W. Ross of Golden, Colorado, and will be absent several weeks.

Mrs. Atta Ferrell of Harrisburg, Ill., arrived last week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Copher. Her children were already here.

Mrs. Ida Conyer left Tuesday for Memphis, Tennessee after a visit of several weeks here and in the county among her relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Y. Moore were guests of relatives here Sunday, having motored over from their home in Madisonville.

Besides the liberal donation of W. E. Dowell of Tolu for the "Old Cemetery fund" another contributor of note this week was Charles D. Haynes \$100.

Mrs. R. L. Hardy has rented the Frank Loyd house recently vacated by her brother Edgar Threlkeld on Bellville street and has moved to it.

district composed of the Crittenden, Caldwell and subject to the action of the Democratic party.

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE** are authorized to announce DR. J. D. THRELKELD

LOST—13 yards of string between Repton and Tribune Wednesday July 11th. Finder please return to me and be rewarded.

Mrs. Louis C. Horning.

Miss Ellen Lockett of Boxville, Tenn., left last week for her home after a stay of a month with Miss Ruth Croft on Main Street.

Miss Laura Cole of Atlanta Ga., who was Miss Ruth Croft's visitor left last week for her home in the Sunny Souths Chief Metropolis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rice had for their house guests this week Mrs. Ida Conyer Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. T. J. Young and Mrs. Wm. T. James of Paducah, Ky.

Paul Escott and wife who were guests of his parents Rev. and Mrs. Henry Escott here last week left Thursday for their home in Louisville.

The Mayo brothers of Rochester, Minn., will leave soon to work in French hospitals, after making a donation of \$1,600.00 to the University of Minnesota, —Kentucky.

L. C. Horning who was called to Harrisburg, Ill., to see his brother who was hurt, has returned home leaving him much improved and out of danger it

acted meetings as follows, Andy Grove July 8 to 22, Zion Aug. 5 to 19.

Dr. J. D. Threlkeld candidate for Representative from Crittenden and Livingstone Counties, s were devoted to the control of tuberculosis.

In all health work for children there are emphasized: First, the recognition that we are for Representative from Crittenden and Livingstone Counties, s were devoted to the control of tuberculosis.

Dr. J. D. Threlkeld candidate for Representative from Crittenden and Livingstone Counties, s were devoted to the control of tuberculosis.

LOST—On the street in Marion one 20 year, 15 jewel, size 16 gold open face watch. Finder please return to Press Office and receive reward.

7-19-2t. L. B. Cloyd.

T. A. Enoch says Mrs. Enoch and I can raise vegetables as well as kill snakes and rob bees. As a proof of it, he brought in some fine large smooth RIPE tomatoes to show.

Charles Abner, wife and three children of Richards Colo. who have been the guests of her mother Mrs. Oscar Eskew leave today for their home in the far west.

Waist sale white reduced from \$1.00 to 49 cts., Middies \$1.00 to 79 cts., white skirts reduced, a clearance sale of all summer stock house dresses a special sale this week at Lottie Tinsley Terrys.

**Churches to Open Recruiting Stations.**

Mo., July 17.—Twenty Chicago churches will be recruiting stations for the army next week.

I fly the American flag

recruiting will do to aid

the 70,000 volunteers

by President Wilson.

**Deaths Occur From Summer Epidemic.**

Mo., July 18.—Eight more deaths have resulted in Scott county from enterocolitis, the summer disease which has killed more than 100 persons in Southeast Missouri. Seven of the deaths occurred in Sikeston and one in Crowder.

## Notice To Cream Shippers

Owing to the pressure of farm work, our agent Mr. C. E. James, will not buy cream for a period of four weeks. During this time if those who have patronized him desire to sell to us we will furnish can for shipping according to our trial shipping plan. Simply write us about this plan and we will send you details.

Thanking you for your past patronage and urging you to again bring in to Mr. James when he resumes buying for us.

We are sincerely yours,

Sugar Creek Creamery Co.

Why not tax wrist watches and spats?

Garden protection is an ideal job for the junior police.

A gardener is known by the depth to which he breaks ground.

One way not to fight a successful war is to discourage production.

Unless this one is fought to a finish it will not be a long time between wars.

Who remembers when there was nothing to discuss but the age of Anne?

Uncle Sam is well prepared for war in one respect. He has a big idea to fight for.

Indications are that this is going to be a busy season for your neighbors' chickens.

So long as we have good soups for our soldiers we care not who makes the songs.

That time has passed when men eat would desert from the navy in order to escape ennui.

This summer the farmer may be or able to employ his city boarders in Life the potato patches.

On the French front the battle rages back and forth; on the Italian front it rages up and down.

They are reported to be eating crows in Germany. The diet is both appropriate and significant.

Many amateur gardeners this year kept to plant their beans upside down.

A food speculator is a highway robber who uses a desk and an office chair instead of a gun.

The few things Americans have not done they are doing now or have their sleeves rolled up to do.

What has become of the old-fashioned girl who complained because there was nothing to do?

And then a fellow has no idea how good radishes and tomatoes can be until he has raised them himself.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to put a potato over the spout of the oil can?

Will the woman street car conductors have to climb up on the roof when the trolley pole slips off?

Movie heroes might be more popular if they did not look so much like the cat that had just eaten the canary.

Nothing discourages submarine warfare so much as increasing the number of submarines that don't return.

If a girl looks good in overalls she will be accused of being immodest. If she doesn't look good she won't wear 'em.

Mentless days are being talked of for the United States. Thus we may make a patriotic cause out of a necessity.

The man who conceived the brilliant idea of adapting this American khaki uniform to British styles probably was a tailor.

King George works every afternoon in his potato patch, and thus the ancient institution of kingship is justified.

The Red Cross urges American women to knit woolen socks for the army. Thus an old art is being revived.

If Edison has a scheme to put the submarine out of business he has all the Atlantic ocean in which to demonstrate it.

War shirkers are going to have a hard time to get away from war this side of the North pole and the deep blue sea.

John Barleycorn, the champion fooler, has made many a man believe he is such a good workman that the boss will never fire him.

Some people eat and drink "any old thing," but are very particular about the quality of oil and gasoline they use in their automobiles.

By reducing waists as well as wastes, this war will do much to improve the appearance and efficiency of the singular human race.

The scientific explanation of why lions roar will be interesting to those who thought perhaps it was because they were hard of hearing.

It is undeniable that a young man looks better in an army or a navy uniform than in civilian clothes, and doubtless he feels that way, too.

Armies cannot be bothered with corn plasters and arch supports. That is why they make the shoes fit the soldiers' feet. It is a good idea, too.

John Bull is reported as worried because his girl workers in factories are smoking, but, of course, that is not as much to worry about as if they had taken to the use of fine cut.

## 3 SETS OF TWINS UPSET A FAMILY

Man Tells Court Why He Refuses to Pay \$3 and Court Agrees With Him.

New York.—If you were the father of three sets of twins, and kept them going, and your wife wouldn't live with you and the twins—would you send your wife money, court or no courts? Most probably not. So decided Jacob Colan. And the court of domestic relations, despite affronted dignity and contempt of its order, agreed with his view.

It was all hashed out in court when Mrs. Colan complained Colan hadn't been paying her the \$3 a week he had been ordered to remit in a previous proceeding. In the five years during



She Wanted Fights, and She Won Them All.

which Mr. and Mrs. Colan have been married they have been blessed by three sets of twins.

Perhaps the twins were to blame. Anyway, Mr. and Mrs. Colan had many spats and finally decided to be out for good.

Some months ago the courts decided that Mr. Colan was to send \$3 a week to his wife and some weeks ago Mr. Colan decided that he would not. So all hands to the center of the court

"Why," asked the court, "do you fail to pay \$3 as directed?"

"Because," said Mr. Colan, "when I think of her troubles I have to laugh. She wanted me and she got me; she wanted a home and she got it; she wanted fights and she won them all; she wanted to leave me and she did; she wanted her liberty and she got it; she wanted \$3 a week and got it, and she didn't want the three sets of twins and I've got them. Take it from me your honor, a man with three sets of twins and no home regards \$3 as a bankroll."

And the court thought likewise.

## 'WARE OF FATE OF HONKER

Boys Who Toot Horns of Standing Motorcars Would Better Be Careful.

Baltimore.—Newsboys who toot the horns of standing motorcars had better be sure that they do not contain watch dogs or they may share the fate of George Johnson, twelve years old.

George went up to the car of Leon Passano, Jr., as it stood in West Fayette street, and, reaching his arm inside, began to toot the horn, when he was nipped on the right arm by a bulldog which was in the car.

The lad was taken to the Mercy hospital, where his arm was dressed. Mr. Passano was summoned to the central police station on a charge of harboring a vicious dog, but was dismissed by the magistrate. Mr. Passano told the court that the dog had been trained to stay in the car and watch the machine. The boy was sent to the juvenile court.

**CLASSIC BURGLAR IS ADRIFT IN PORTLAND**

Portland, Ore.—A classic burglar is adrift. He sailed into the home of Dr. Robert Weston, 233 Cornell road, and took \$300 worth of family money on a sunburst pattern with the doctor's graph records. The tunes and modern were cracked on the this musical second-story, but all the higher "high-brow" songs and were gone when the arose. Several hymns were in the loom. So far the doctor has not missed another thing.

Fears Negro Strain; Kills Babes. Columbus, O.—Mrs. Alfred Castle, twenty-nine years old, arrested following the disappearance of her three-day-old baby, confessed, police say, that she has killed nine children born to her because her husband has negro blood in his veins. "While I love my husband, I cannot bear him children," she said, according to the police.

## Two Big Fairs Under Same Management

Providence, Ky., July 24, 25, 26, 27.

Henderson, Ky., July 31, Aug. 1, 2, 3, 4.

C. C. Givens, General Manager

Great Array of Races, Ring Shows, Floral Hall Exhibits.

12 Big Free Attractions Daily

Reynold Mighty Midway and Carnival Aggregation.

Carrying 12 Big Shows and 50 concessions, Over 300

People, Royal Italian Band, Something Doing

All the Time. Reduced Railroad Rates



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE

We are authorized to announce  
E. L. HARPENDING  
as a candidate for Judge of the Crittenden County Court, subject to the action of the Republican primary Aug. 4th 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
ROBERT LOVE MOORE  
as a candidate for County Judge, of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary Aug. 4th, 1917.

### FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce  
ROBERT H. THOMAS  
as a candidate for Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
ALBERT H. TRAVIS  
as a candidate for Sheriff of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Aug. 4, 1917.

### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce  
EDWARD D. STONE  
as a candidate for County Attorney of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary August 4th 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
JNO. A. MOORE  
as a candidate for County Attorney of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary August 4th, 1917.

### FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

We are authorized to announce  
F. DUKE STONE  
as a candidate for County School Superintendent, of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
JAMES L. F. PARIS  
as a candidate for County School Superintendent of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

### FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce  
WILL B. JAMES  
as a candidate for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary Aug. 4th 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
ALEX JONES  
as a candidate for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
THOMAS B. KEMP  
as a candidate for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
J. O. TABOR  
as a candidate for Jailer of Crittenden county, subject to the action of the Republican primary August 4th, 1917.

**FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK**  
CLARENCE G. THOMPSON,  
candidate for  
COUNTY COURT CLERK  
will greatly appreciate your vote and  
influence Republican primary August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
L. E. GUESS  
as a candidate for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

### FOR STATE SENATOR

We are authorized to announce  
W. O. WICKER  
of Mexico, Ky., as a candidate for State Senator for the fourth district, composed of the counties of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
C. S. NUNN  
as a candidate for State Senator for the fourth district, composed of the counties of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce  
DR. J. D. THRELKELD

of Marion, Ky., as a candidate for Representative for the legislative district, composed of Crittenden and Livingston counties, subject to the action of Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
DURON KOON  
as a candidate for Representative for the legislative district, composed of Crittenden and Livingston counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce  
CHARLES THRELKELD  
as a candidate for Magistrate, in Piney district, No. 5, subject to the action of the Republican primary August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
Wm. T. BLACK  
as a candidate for Magistrate, in Marion district, No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce  
GEORGE B. LAMB  
as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce  
HERSCHEL O. FRANKLIN  
as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th, 1917.

### Protracted Meetings.

Mr. V. P. Henry pastor of the Marion Circuit announces his protracted meetings as follows:

Shady Grove July 8 to 22.  
Mt. Zion Aug. 5 to 19.

In the summer time work  
Get a bottle of Farris' Healing Remedy—  
costs but 50¢—makes a pint worth  
\$2.00. Apply it to the wound. Fleas  
will not bother it. Get it today. You  
may need it tomorrow. We sell it  
Jas. H. Orms.

### Protection is Asked.

Evansville, Ind., July 18.—Following an attack late Saturday night on the mining camps of the West Kentucky Coal Co., near Clay, Ky., the officials of the company today made an appeal to Gov. A. O. Stanley, asking for protection.

Several shots were fired into the houses of miners by unknown parties and the men and their families, while they escaped unhurt, were greatly frightened, and the mine officials fear other attacks.

The sheriff of Webster county has also been asked for further protection.

Rev. J. R. King In  
Paducah For Revival.

The Rev. J. R. King, of Blackport, Ky., will arrive today to conduct a revival service at the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Twelfth and Trimble streets. The first service will be held at 8 o'clock tonight. Dr. King will be in the city about two weeks, and services will be held each evening at Cumberland church, of which the Rev. A. D. Rudolph is pastor.—Paducah Sun.

**Chicago Churches to  
Open Recruiting Stations.**

Chicago, Ill., July 17.—Twenty-five Chicago churches will be opened as recruiting stations for the regular army next week. They will fly the American flag and the recruiting will do to aid in raising the 70,000 volunteers called for by President Wilson.

**Eight More Deaths Occur  
From Summer Epidemic.**

Benton, Mo., July 18.—Eight more deaths have resulted in Scott county from entercolitis, the summer disease which has killed more than 100 persons in Southeast Missouri. Seven of the deaths occurred in Sikeston and one in Crowder.

## Few Too Old or Too Young to Enlist in Army of Production

By REV. FRANCIS E. CLARK  
President World's Christian Endeavor Union

Will all the two million members of the Christian Endeavor societies in the United States enlist with me in a Christian Endeavor army of production? This is a real Christian endeavor.

For this army none under ninety are too old; none over nine are too young. Only those between certain limited ages will be called to the colors—the Red, White and Blue—but to the green of the fields all ages are called.

The highest moral and patriotic motives may inspire our enlistment in this army. No Christian soldier ever marched to battle in any dire crisis in his country's history with a nobler purpose than may, this year, the army of agriculturists. This year we will plant and reap not simply for dollars and cents but for our neighbors and our country as well as for ourselves. Patriotism and potatoes will be joined by more ties than these of alliteration.



### GOD KNOWS BEST.

Oh, sleep pretty baby, sleep,  
For tonight your pretty little head,  
Is pillow'd on a mother's white breast,  
Oh, sleep darling baby, sleep and rest,  
Morning soon will dawn and you  
Will wake to see, for they all love you

Oh, sleep precious baby for nought,  
You know of the battles and the strife  
That is no' raving in this life;  
Oh, sleep angel baby sleep, for soon  
The morning sun will rise, and then  
May come the sad goodbyes.

Oh, sleep precious baby, sleep and  
rest;  
Once I had a mother just like you  
Oh, her kisses on my brow I can  
feel them now;

Oh, sleep darling baby, sleep and rest,  
May He spare you this anguish and  
pain;

Oh, sleep angel baby, sleep and rest—  
God knows best.

### The Point Of View

Uncle Silas (visiting city relatives who use electrical appliances for cooking at the table): "Well I swan! You make fun of us for eatin' in the kitchen. I don't see as it makes much difference whether you eat in the kitchen or cook in the dining-room." Life.

### The Tale of The Guest,

Timur-land the Tartar invader, was very ugly, and, catching a glimpse of himself in a mirror, he burst into tears. The court jester began weeping also, and kept it up long enough after his master had stopped. Timur looked at him in astonishment. "I wept with reason," he said, "at beholding my own ugliness—I, the lord of so many lands. But I do not understand why you should thus despair."

"If you, my lord," replied the jester, "wept for two hours after seeing yourself in the mirror for an instant, is it not natural that I, who see you all day long, should weep longer than you?" Onward.

Piles Cure in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if PAZZI  
fails to cure any case of Itching  
Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.

The first application gives fast and rest. See

### New Burbank Wheat

#### To End World Famine.

San Jose, Cal., July 18.—Luther Burbank, the world's greatest scientific agriculturist, announced to-day the perfection of a "super-wheat" which he believes will go far toward solving the universal problem of grain shortage.

Its yield is five times as much per acre as the average production throughout the United States today.

Where 15 bushels are now garnered, 40 to 70 is the measure of the new Burbank variety.

It is as if this genius of the plant kingdom had suddenly extended manyfold America's wheat acreage.

The promise of this achievement for a hunger-threatened world can scarcely be overstated.

It is the product of ten years' extensive and very expensive experimenting to combine into one wonderful new grain the best food qualities, hardihood and fecundity of many strains of wheat selected from all parts of the earth.

It has been carefully tested in comparison with 68 of the world's best wheats and excels every one of them in productiveness.

Burbank until now has kept it secret for fear the results of his labors would be appropriated by exploiters.

I have perfected and have ready for market the most productive wheat ever evolved by man, he said.

The average yield will run about 50 to 70 bushels to the acre. It is hardy, barbless smooth and milky, and will grow anywhere in the temperate zone.

Were it universally planted, the same acreage today under cultivation should yield many times as much wheat.

## MARINES ALWAYS FIRST IN FIGHT

They Go Everywhere by Land or  
Sea in Defense of the  
American Flag.

### MOTTO: "ALWAYS FAITHFUL"

The Recruit Entering Service Today Is  
Paid \$30 a Month and the Opportunities  
for Advancement Are Numerous.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.  
Washington—"First in the Fight" is the war-time slogan of the United States marines, while "Semper Fi-dells," "Always Faithful," is their motto in peace and war.

So it would seem that if good works, coupled with faith, secure a man's salvation, there must be some reason as well as rhyme in the last four lines of the Marine corps hymn:

If the Army and the Navy  
Ever look on Heaven's scenes,  
They will find the streets are guarded by  
The United States Marines.

Recently Uncle Sam has ordered an increase in the number of his marines to a war strength of 30,000 men, which numerically means 4,000 more men than there are in a division of troops of the United States army. There is room in the marines, therefore, for any stalwart young American between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five who wishes to be a soldier and a sailor in one, to be first in the fight, and to be able to prove that he is always faithful to the ideals of humanity and the ideals of his country. In the present war the American belief is that the two are one.

When congress recently increased the pay of the army it also increased the pay of the navy and of the Marine corps. The recruit today who enters the Marine corps will receive \$30 a month pay, an increase of \$15 over the pay in the more or less piping times of peace. More than this, if he goes to sea, which unquestionably will be his lot, he will receive 20 per cent additional, and it is generally accounted that in this war time the 20 per cent increase will be continued while the marine is on land in a foreign country holding up his end for the United States.

What is the marine? This is one of the questions in a little catechism issued by the officials of the corps. The answer is that the marine is a soldier of the sea.

### A Two-Fisted Fighter.

The marine is a soldier and a sailor, and yet he is neither. He is a sort of a two-fisted fighting rover. He goes everywhere by land or by sea to the last outpost of civilization and beyond if it is necessary for the service of protection of the American flag and of the upholding of the rights of American people.

The Marine corps is curious in a way in its formation. It has more men in its ranks than an army division, and yet in a way its organization is that of a regiment, although it has a major general commandant and several brigadier generals. Then, like the army, it has its colonels, its lieutenant colonels, its majors, and its captains.

The Marine corps, big as it is, with its 30,000 men in war time, keeps a permanent organization, because its fighters necessarily are divided into comparatively small detachments.

Under the command of Colonel Doyen of the Marine corps 2,000 soldiers of the sea soon will be in the trenches in France. These men, it has been announced, were added to the preliminary force which it is intended to send into France because the government recognized the right of marines to live up to the meaning of their wartime slogan, "First in the Fight."

### Men Needed for Marines.

The United States government wants men for its Marine corps. It hopes that it will not be necessary to draw from the ranks of the selective service army the men needed to complete the complement of the soldier-sailor organization. It wants volunteers. The attractions of service to the marines are many. There are chances, and good ones, for the enlisted men to be recommended for a student course at Annapolis, there to be educated and trained and upon graduation to receive a commission either in the Marine corps or in the navy. The law also provides for the promotion of noncommissioned officers to warrant rank in the grades of marine gunners and quartermaster's clerk. Such officers receive from \$1,125 to \$2,500 a year, and are entitled to the same privileges of retirement as warrant officers in the navy.

There is a clause for marines to receive money in addition to their pay. Mess stewards, mess sergeants, mess men, clerks, and men assigned to aviation duty receive amounts varying from \$7.50 to \$15 per month in addition to their base pay. There are provisions for increased pay for men who qualify as expert riflemen, as marksmen and as sharpshooters.

The Marine corps is the oldest army service of the United States, having been organized before the army and the navy. Every man who enters it is given his food, his clothing, his lodgings, and his medical attendance.

The country needs volunteer marines for a service that is First at the Front and Always Faithful.

## CHAPEL HILL

(Delayed from last week.)

Dellie Bigham and sister, Miss Effie, are visiting Dell Clement at Gainsville, Texas.

Mrs. T. M. Hill is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Bertha Elder and family of Clay, Ill., are here visiting friends and relatives.

Tom Kemp, of Deanwood, was through this precinct Thursday. He is a candidate for jailer.

B. F. Walker and wife were guests of Mrs. Price, of Levias, last week.

W. H. Bigham and wife were guests of Scott Paris and wife Sunday.

J. T. Bigham and wife were guests of Will Ward Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Berry, who has been visiting in Kentucky for two or three months, will leave for her home in Caruthersville, Mo., some time in August.

George Conditt and wife, of Dean's, were guests of T. M. Hill last third Sunday.

## FORD'S FERRY

The farm products are all growing nicely in this neighborhood at the present time and the prospects for a good crop are unusually bright. We do not think that many of the American people are likely to starve, notwithstanding all the predictions which have been made to that effect.

Most enthusiastically do we endorse the great aeroplane construction program which is being promulgated by the American War Department and which calls for the expenditure of \$600,000,000 in the building of aircraft for military purposes. The airship has proven to be a tremendously important factor in the present great conflict and if the Allies can maintain the complete upper hand in the sky they will conquer the enemy much quicker than they would without the aid of this great advantage.

Your correspondent took a real nice bicycle ride a few weeks ago and after it was all over he also experienced a real nice fainting spell—the only time during his whole life that he has ever collapsed from over-exertion, thus proving that bicycle riding is harder work than any farm work.

There are many people who claim that the steamboat has long since passed its greatest era of usefulness. We do not deny this assertion which so many people are making but we do deny any statement which says that the steamboat is of no further use whatever. For many years to come the river commerce will be profitable and beneficial for quite a number of people. The railroad may still be the principal means of transportation but it is certainly not the only means. There is no likelihood whatever of the steamboat being entirely done away with any time during the immediate future.

Candidates are thicker than fleas in August and each one of them is trying to impress the people what a tremendously fine fellow he is, and what a catastrophe it would be for the county if he is not nominated and elected. We are afraid there will be quite a number of disappointed ones when the final test is made at the polls. It is utterly impossible for every office seeker to be elected but some benefit at least will accrue from their candidacy. They will at least practice courtesy and politeness during the period in which they are running for office even though they should relapse back into the old rut after it is all over.

We are highly gratified to know that Gen. John J. Pershing will be the Commander-in-Chief of the American army which will be put upon the fighting line in Europe. Accord-

ing to all appearances, Pershing is possessed of unusual qualities as a military leader and we believe that he will conduct the operations in a most skillful, energetic manner. Under his able and efficient leadership the American troops will not suffer more than half the losses which they would sustain if they were directed by a headstrong man like Roosevelt. We are confident that Pershing will distinguish himself very highly in the coming operations and we feel sure that the glory of his achievements will cause the American people to feel proud at the mention of his name for many years to come.

Mrs. Eursa Truett is suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever. We sincerely hope that she will recover as soon as possible.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity attended Children's day at Mt. Zion on Sunday, July 8th, and it certainly proved to be some entertainment indeed. Mt. Zion has long been noted for the immense crowds which have gathered at that place and we think that the last big crowd was just as large as any that have ever been seen at Mt. Zion. There were people from almost every part of the county including a considerable number from Marion. People came in automobiles, in buggies and almost every other variety of vehicle imaginable. For fear of falsely misrepresenting the situation we will not say that everybody experienced a fine time for somebody is always half sick or feeling bad on an occasion like that. We firmly believe, however, that the great majority of those who were present enjoyed themselves nicely and were well pleased with the entertainment, which consisted of a beautifully arranged program on the part of both the children and grown-ups who participated in the exercises. A number of excellent recitations were rendered by the children, in the morning, and a number of splendid songs were given by the Marion quartette band in the afternoon. In addition to many other things, the people were also treated to a fine dinner, so sumptuous and magnificent as to be fit for the gods. It was a day which will be long remembered by those who were present.

## REPTON.

Kenneth Powell, who has been visiting in Union county, returned home Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Sheridan is visiting relatives near Dycusburg this week.

Protracted meeting begins at Repton 4th Sunday in July. Bro. Reed Barnes will assist Bro. Hyde in the meeting.

Leonard Mattingly has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Samuels, the past week.

Mrs. George Brantley spent Sunday with Mrs. W. K. Powell.

Miss Isa Vaughn is visiting friends in Toledo this week.

Mrs. E. S. Taylor has been spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Dora Deavers, of Providence.

—Crab Apple

## A. S. Cannan Goes

### To Rosiclare, Ill.

Marion will be the loser and Rosiclare the gainer, by the deal which A. S. Cannan has recently made which places him in charge as manager of the big Company Hotel, painted and papered and have put new furniture and equipment throughout. Mr. Cannan and his estimable family will leave soon to assume charge.

We are not authorized to name the successor of Mr. Cannan in his business here, but may next week.

As manager at a good salary, the Rosiclare Mining Co., has made several efforts to get Mr. Cannan, and has now succeeded and to prove their willingness to back and stand by any good man they have had the hotel overhauled.

## AMERICAN RED CROSS HOSPITAL UNITS FIRST TO ANSWER NATION'S CALL FOR HELP ON EUROPE'S BATTLEFIELDS

Organized in Peace Times, These Groups of Surgeons, Nurses and Privates Are Showing the Allies That Uncle Sam Is Prepared to Aid Them Fully in One Department at Least—This Community Must Do Its Part—We Must Give Our Time, Services, Money.

If the American Red Cross had never done anything else than organize, equip and supply the base hospitals which are now backing our armies, it would have justified its existence. Of course it has done, and still is doing, countless great things for America and for the world; but its accomplishment in the line of base hospitals is just now of prime importance.

As briefly as it may be defined, a base hospital is an institution which cares for the sick or wounded soldier from the time he is sent back from the firing line, until he is able to be removed to a hospital in his own country.

It is almost unbelievable, but nevertheless a fact, that until the American Red Cross took hold of the task a year ago, no nation in the history of the world had ever organized a base hospital until after war had been declared and the fighting begun, and the wounded men lay writhing on the ground.

Always, of course, there have been a few army surgeons with each regiment, who patched up the slightly wounded and got them back into the firing line as quickly as possible. Also, of course, there have always been in all countries some sort of hospital system for the care of the sick and wounded when they got home.

But always the intermediate institution, for the care and transportation of the sick and wounded between the front and the home hospitals, was missing. This has invariably led to a terrible congestion of wounded on the battlefields, where thousands suffered needlessly, lost arms and legs that might have been saved, or died when a little care would have preserved them.

Col. Jefferson Randolph Kean, U. S. A. Medical corps, director general of military relief of the Red Cross, has likened the former organization to a bridge of which the end spans were complete, but the middle span—the base hospitals—was entirely lacking.

When a man is wounded in battle, the method of caring for him is modified, of course, by varying conditions:

He lies on the field in No Man's Land between the lines, or in the trench until he is able to drag himself away, or the stretcher bearers can reach him, and carry him to one of the little first-aid stations. These are always very near to the fighting lines—sometimes in a part of the trench where the men are fighting.

There an army surgeon stanches the flow of blood, puts dressing on the wound to keep out infection, binds on



After wounded soldiers received first aid in the trench dressing stations they are carried back by Red Cross workers under fire to waiting Red Cross ambulances in which they are conveyed to a field hospital. Thence they are removed to the base hospital.

splints in case of broken bones, and makes it possible for the patient to be moved to the little field hospital a short distance from the fighting line. This field hospital is usually a tent—sometimes a hut or a barn or even a space in the open air sheltered by a hill or a clump of trees. It is really little more than an enlarged first-aid station, with a capacity for not more than 125 wounded, who lie on the ground on tarpaulins. There are no beds, and seldom any cots.

From the field hospital the wounded are taken, as rapidly as possible, to the evacuation hospitals, still farther from the danger zone. Each evacuation hospital cares for the wounded from three field hospitals. This, too, is an emergency station, and has no permanency. It is a collection station for wounded, where the worst cases may be given a little more attention than has been possible before.

As rapidly as the motor ambulances, the hospital trains, the hospital ships, or other agencies, are able to work, the wounded are taken from these collecting stations to the base hospital, located at the army base some distance to the rear.

Here, for the first time, the wounded man finds himself in a real hospital, in the hands of surgeons and nurses who have the time to give his hurts every possible care.

He is put into a real bed in a real hospital, supplied with X-ray, bacteriological and pathological laboratories, a diet kitchen presided over by skilled cooks, and with surgeons and nurses drawn from America's most highly trained to wait on him. If he

requires an operation, he is in the hands of the best surgeons of the land, with the finest surgical tools to do their work. And the hospital has an ample supply of wound dressings, pads, splints, hospital gowns, surgical shirts—all the thousand and one things a first-class hospital must have.

That is the service which the American Red Cross has provided for the American soldier before our country was at war—before a single American ship or unit of the American army was headed for Europe. Thirty-six of these hospitals—enough to care for the wounded of an army of a million men—have been made ready to the last strip of bandage and the last enrolled stretcher bearer. Several of them are now in France, helping to care for the wounded of the allies, and ready to care for the American soldiers who are sure to fall into their hands before many weeks.

Each of these base hospitals calls for the services of 23 surgeons, 2 dentists, 75 Red Cross nurses and 150 privates, including orderlies, ambulance drivers, stretcher bearers and clerks.

The permanent minimum equipment of each hospital consists of three carloads of beds, mattresses, scientific apparatus, operating room paraphernalia, and all utensils. Units going to Europe these days, however, are taking double or triple equipment.

The consumable supplies of each hospital consists of 85 crates of bandages, wound pads, splints, fracture pillows, dressings and hospital supplies of every kind to the number of 42,482, all made up to army standard, packed, boxed and labeled so that surgeons and nurses can put their hands on them in a moment.

Now—from this it might seem that the Red Cross has done everything needful, and that there is nothing more to do for the base hospitals but to wait until the wounded begin to stream in, and give them the benefit of all this foresight.

Not so. It has been established that the supplies of bandages and splints and wound pads and gauze in a base hospital last through just about four days of heavy fighting. Then, unless there were a great store of supplies to draw from, the hospital would find itself with 500 wounded on hand, and no dressings for their wounds.

Here, again, is work for the Red Cross. All over the land, wherever supplies were made for these 36 base hospitals, are women trained in making hospital supplies. It is ready for these women not only to stand ready to furnish other supplies, but to train still

others to take up the work; for when the Americans begin to fight there will be no stopping the stream of wounded until the war is won. And the Red Cross cannot afford to let a single fighting man die for lack of a bandage or a splint. Is our community doing its part?

In France right now the supply of gauze and linen is so low that they are reported to be using old newspapers to staunch bleeding wounds. That must never happen to an American soldier. And unless the American people get behind the Red Cross with all their strength and in all their numbers, and train themselves to turn out supplies for their hospitals, it may happen.

It would be the irony of fate if a soldier from our own town—perhaps your own family, or mine—were to get gangrene in his wound, perhaps lose an arm or a leg or even his life, because we folks here had failed to furnish the dressings for his wound.

Length, about six and one-fourth inches. Its incessant chattering, quarrelsome disposition, and abundance and familiarity about human habitations distinguish it from our native sparrows.

Range: Resident throughout the United States and southern Canada. Habits and economic status: Almost universally condemned since its introduction into the United States, the English sparrow has not only held its own, but has ever increased in numbers and extended its range in spite of all opposition. Its habit of driving out or even killing more beneficial species and the defiling of buildings by its droppings and by its own unsightly structures, are serious objections to this sparrow. Moreover, in rural districts, it is destructive to grain, peas, beans, and other vegetables. On the other hand, the bird feeds to some extent on a large number of insect pests, and this fact points to the need of a new investigation of the present economic status of the species, especially as it promises to be of service in holding in check the newly introduced alfalfa weevil, which threatens the alfalfa industry in Utah and neighboring states. In cities most of the food of the English sparrow is waste material secured from the streets.

## Additional Locals.

Miss Catherine Yates left Saturday for a visit to friends and relatives in Bowling Green and Lebanon, Ky.

Harry Weldon, who enlisted in the army two months ago, is back home from Ft. Thomas to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weldon, of Monroe and Twelfth streets. Weldon is pleased with army life and says the Paducah clan at the fort is in good health.—Paducah Sun.

Additional old cemetery funds: Mrs. Annie Terry, Marion, Ky., one dollar.

Mrs. W. T. James, of Paducah, who was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Hughes, on East Bellville street, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Giles Cobb, who was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Josephine Adams, Friday night, en route from Al Dean's to Crider, spent Saturday with her cousin, Mrs. J. A. Stevens, leaving on the afternoon train.

Miss Elizabeth Rochester returned Monday from Washington, where she had been on a lengthy visit.

Wm. Rochester is expected home from Lexington, Ky., where he graduated in June.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Charles left Tuesday for Piney Creek on a camping trip chaperoned by Misses Mildred, Catherine and Ruth Moore, Elvah Pickens, Mr. Marion McConnell and others whose names we did not learn.

Berlin is reported to be feeling the pinch. Berlin has nothing on We have been feeling it for nine

days.

Mrs. Emma Hayward, of Elizabethtown, Ky., is the guest of friends here and at other points in this neighborhood.

The friends of Audie Love and of his wife who was Miss Emma Ainsworth, sympathize with them greatly in the affliction which has come to Mrs. Love in losing her mind, and hope she will be benefited if not cured entirely by the treatment she is now getting.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Privet, of the Irma vicinity, were in the city shopping Wednesday.

## Prominent Marion Couple

### Married in Louisville.

Douglas Carnahan accompanied by his mother Mrs. Clara Carnahan, his intended Miss Anna Cox, his nephew, George Orme, and Miss Louise Clement left Marion Sunday morning on the Illinois Central train for Louisville where Mr. Carnahan and Miss Cox were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. J. A. Chandler, at high noon in the auditorium of Rev. Chandlers Church, Monday.

The party which accompanied the couple from here were the only guest at the wedding which was a quiet affair. The happy couple left for Cincinnati, Ohio, on a bridal trip and when they return will be at home to their friends at the residence of the grooms mother on Belleville st.

The marriage of this fine couple is the culmination of a long and happy courtship and joins two prominent and wealthy families. The bride is a beautiful blonde and the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix G. Cox, who are among the countys wealthiest land owners.

The groom tall, handsome and just arrived of age, is a son of the late W. G. Carnahan the capitalist and is related to many prominent people here and is now merchandising in his own building on Main Street. The start on lifes voyage with indeed bright prospects for a long and happy wedded life and with the best wishes of many friends.

## Dr. Gilchrist

boundary of the Ford's Ferry—Marion and Marion N. and George Orme and Miss Louise Clement and Mrs. Clara Carnahan have returned from Louisville Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Emma Hayward, of Elizabethtown, Ky., is the guest of friends here and at other points in this neighborhood.

The friends of Audie Love and of his wife who was Miss Emma Ainsworth, sympathize with them greatly in the affliction which has come to Mrs. Love in losing her mind, and hope she will be benefited if not cured entirely by the treatment she is now getting.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Privet, of the Irma vicinity, were in the city shopping Wednesday.

## ENGLISH SPARROW

*Passer domesticus*



Length, about six and one-fourth inches. Its incessant chattering, quarrelsome disposition, and abundance and familiarity about human habitations distinguish it from our native sparrows.

Range: Resident throughout the United States and southern Canada.

Habits and economic status: Almost universally condemned since its introduction into the United States,

the English sparrow has not only held its own, but has ever increased in numbers and extended its range in spite of all opposition.

Its habit of driving out or even killing more beneficial species and the defiling of buildings by its droppings and by its own unsightly structures, are serious objections to this sparrow.

Moreover, in rural districts, it is destructive to grain, peas, beans, and other vegetables.

On the other hand, the bird feeds to some extent on a large number of insect pests, and this fact points to the need of a new investigation of the present economic status of the species, especially as it promises to be of service in holding in check the newly introduced alfalfa weevil, which threatens the alfalfa industry in Utah and neighboring states.

In cities most of the food of the English sparrow is waste material secured from the streets.